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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Applicant : Elke Aidam et al.
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For : MAGNETICALLY SHIELDED CONTAINER
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

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Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as follows.